corporation and of the ordinances ordained thereunder; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Incorporation of town and acts of officers legalized.

Section 1. That the incorporation of the town of Lime Springs, Howard county, Iowa, be and the same is hereby legalized, and that all of the official acts of the council of said town of Lime Springs, so far as valid and legal but for such defective organization, performed since its organization, and all their acts in the organization thereof be and the same are hereby legalized and declared legal and valid to the same extent as if said organization had been made in accordance with law, and that the officers and each of them are hereby empowered and authorized to hold their offices respectively and perform all the acts and duties incident thereto until the election and qualification of others in their stead.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and in the Lime Springs Tribune, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa, and at Lime Springs, Iowa, said publication to be without expense to the state.

Approved, February 11, 1880.

I hereby certify that the above act was published in the Iowa State Register, February 13, 1880, and the Lime Springs Tribune, February 19, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 4.

LEGALIZING ACTS OF TRUSTEES OF TOWN OF OLIN.

AN ACT to Legalize the Acts of the Board of Trustees of Olin, H. F. 32. Jones county, Iowa.

Preamble.

Whereas, In the year 1878 proceedings were entered and all necessary acts performed for the incorporation of the town of Olin, Jones county, Iowa, and all acts having been in accordance with law except the election of a board of five (5) trustees, who performed the duties pertaining to the office, supposing they were a legally constituted body; and,

Whereas, By an act of the seventeenth general assembly (amendatory of the statute) requiring six trustees instead of five, some doubt arises relative to the legality of the acts of said

board of five trustees; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Official acts of tees legalized.

Section 1. That the official acts of the board of trustees of board of trus-board of trus-the town of Olin, Jones county, Iowa, are hereby legalized and made valid, the same as if said board of trustees had been composed of six members as provided in chapter nine (9), acts of the seventeenth general assembly.

This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall Publication. take effect and be in full force from and after publication in the Anamosa Eureka, a newspaper published in Anamosa, Iowa, and the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, the same being without expense to the state. Approved, February 16, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Anamosa Eureka, February 19, 1880, and Iowa State Register, February 21, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 5.

MUTUAL AID OR BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

AN ACT to Amend Section 2372 of the Code, relative to the Non-H.F. 118. Liability for the Debts of Deceased Persons, of money made payable by Mutual Aid and Benevolent Societies.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa: Code, § 2372, That section 2372, chapter 3, title 16, of the Code, be, and the amended. same is hereby amended, as follows:

SECTION 1. By inserting after the word "insurance" in the Money payable first line of said section 2372, the following words, "or any society not lisother sum of money made payable by any mutual aid or benevo-for debts of decedent. lent society, upon the death of a member of such society.'
Approved, February 19, 1880.

CHAPTER 6.

REPORT OF STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

AN ACT to Amend Section 1120 of the Code of 1873, in relation to Pub- H. F. 358. lication and Distribution of the Reports of the State Horticultural Society.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa: That section 1120, chapter three (3) of the Code of 1873, be and code, \$ 1120, the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1120. The number of copies of said report shall be Five thousand five thousand, all of which shall be bound in a style uniform copies shall be with the reports of said society for the year eighteen hundred